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## New director of academic technology services hired

Kim Braxton is the new director of academic technology services for Emory University's Library and Information Technology Services (LITS).

In this position, Braxton will advance the University's academic technology program, in collaboration with faculty, students, and library and information technology professionals. She also will develop and implement programs to enhance education and engagement through the innovative and effective use of technology and new media in teaching and learning.

[Read more about this announcement](#)



## Poets' holiday cards from MARBL on display in New York City



If you're in New York City in the near future, stop by the Poets House and check out the exhibit of holiday cards from Langston Hughes, Alice Notley, Seamus Heaney, Charles Bukowski, Allen Ginsberg and more - Christmas and Hannukah cards, Valentines and other celebratory greetings. The materials are all from the Raymond Danowski Poetry Library at the Manuscript, Archives, and Rare Book Library (MARBL).

The exhibit, which runs through March 21, is curated by Lisa Chinn, a PhD candidate in English at Emory, and Kevin Young, professor of English and creative writing and curator of literary collections and the Danowski poetry library at MARBL.

[Read the article in The Guardian UK](#)

[View the post on the New York Times blog](#)

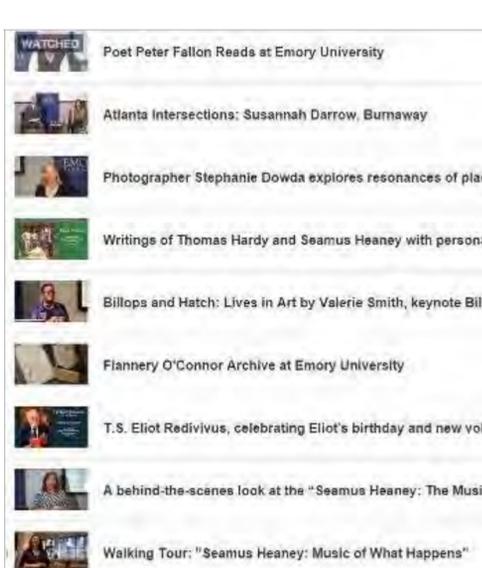
Image: A valentine for Ted Berrigan by Alice Notley. Courtesy Raymond Danowski Poetry Library, MARBL, Emory University

## Watch the events and readings you might have missed

We've had a great year of poetry readings, lectures and other public events at the [Emory Libraries](#). If you missed any of them - or want to refresh your memory - you can find the videos on the Libraries' YouTube or iTunes U channel.

From readings by Peter Fallon, Paul Muldoon and Sharon Olds, to scholarly discussions with a personal touch about Seamus Heaney and T.S. Eliot, to a walking tour of our Heaney exhibition and a video tour of the Flannery O'Connor archives, there's much to enjoy.

[Emory Libraries video events archive](#)



## Coming in February: The golfer and the poet

Two big events are coming up in February at the Emory Libraries: a major exhibition about legendary golfer Bobby Jones featuring materials drawn from MARBL archives, which opens on Feb. 12; and a reading by Carol Ann Duffy, Britain's poet laureate, on Feb. 21. Both are open to the public at no charge; we invite you to join us.

[Watch for upcoming detailed information about both events on our news & events page next month](#)

[Add the Carol Ann Duffy reading to your calendar](#)



Image of Carol Ann Duffy by Michael Woods.

## Emory Libraries in the news



We're making headlines in Atlanta and around the world:

[The Unpublished Stories of Writer Flannery O'Connor](#), a discussion about the archive in MARBL with an interview with director Rosemary Magee, featured on GPB Radio/On Second Thought.

Emory students take a study break with dogs in the library, covered by [11 Alive \(WXIA\)](#) and [Fox 5 \(WAGA\)](#) Atlanta

news stations.

[Emory sees gay ATL history through artist's lens](#), an article with images and an interview with photographer and artist Alli Royce Soble, who recently placed her photographs of LGBT life and the local arts scene with MARBL.

Find more articles and clips on our [media coverage page](#).

**From readings to receptions, don't miss a single event.** Get updates sent to your phone or email, or add a reminder directly to your calendar. See [what's coming up](#) and choose an option that suits you.

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